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This Bank will be open on MONDAY, the

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DIRECTORS.

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No. 134 Queen street.

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100 whole, half and quarter boxes Raisins.

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Fine Teas and a full line of choice Family

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FOR RENT-That large and most de-lightful BRICK HOUSE, No. 58 Washing-ton street, corner of Queen. This is a most de-

ightfully situated house, with 18 rooms, in a

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OPENED BY WM. N. BERKLEY

No 64 King street.
White and half bleached Table Diapers, Ta-

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Lace Handkerchiefs, bleached and brown Can-ton Flannels, and more of those very cheap

Black Alpacas, which have sold so freely. I

invite all wishing good and cheap goods to give me a call. dec 18

SEWING MACHINES,

5 and 7 south Fairfax street,

Silk Velvet, Black and Colored Velveteens

Satins and Florence Silks of all shades; Sash

Silks, Black Silk for Trimmings, &c., &c. CHAS. W. GREEN,

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Dealers are invited to examine our stock.
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Piano and Music store, 149 King street, Alex-

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Several fine second hand PIANOS and

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5 boxes Preserved Ginger.

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SATURDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 17.

MARRIAGE PRESENTS. - People who move in what is called respectable circles and are blessed with an extended and gushing acquaintance, with an extended and exchange, at least a dozen times a year to make wedding presents to cheerful old girls who pass away into matrimony and are heard of no more. There respectable people are not satisfied with articles useful to folks starting housekeeping, such as furniture, delf, washtubs, cradles, &c., in former times the only presents thought suitable for such occasions.

Now, upless the bride can exhibit diamond rings and pins, or other costly precious stones in greater bulk than her dear friend Nancy Jane did in the same situation, why she don't consider herself more than half married. There is a custom in China which might be introduced here with profit. The "heathen Chinee" sends costly presents of silk and china, and many precious things to his friend, upon festive occasions, and they are displayed with great pomp and circumstance. But they are never used. They are carefully put away, and when the next wedding or feast comes off some of these presents are sent, and so they are kept circulating from house to house, very often coming back intact to the original giver. He casts his bread upon the waters, and he finds it after many days. The Chinese plan is a great improvement upon our own. It is not wholly unknown in civilized society, but it is recognized as a regular conventional practice, as it might be, with great advantage.

Last week Ironton, Lawrence county, Ohio, enjoyed the luxury of a highly sensational murder trial. It was the old story of a woman's ruin, and a woman's revenge by the killing of the seducer. The result of the trial was in accordance with that "law of public sentiment which justifies the taking of human life as a recompense for the betrayal of feminine virtue."

## CTEAMED OYSTERS.

TO ALL PATRONS AND THE PUBLIC. We beg to inform you that we have reopened

our oyster house, at our old stand, No. 12 north St. Asaph street, where we keep constantly on hand during the present season a good supply of FRESH OYSTERS. Oysters served in all styles cheaper than any place in the city. There will be no oysters huckstered by us in this city, but will be fur-

nished in any quantity when ordered.

All orders from the country promptly at-There is also a ladies' saloon attached to this

place, up stairs. Respectfully,

WM. A. BAGLEY & CO.,

No. 12 North St. Asaph st.,

sep 29-tf Alexandria, Virginia.

WE DESIRE TO RETURN THANKS TO our friends and the public generally for the patronage extended us during the past year, we beg leave to call attention to our stock of CHRISTMAS GOODS.

Raisins, whole, half and quarter boxes. Currants, Citron,
Mince Meat, Flavoring Extracts,
Canned Peaches and Tomatoes,
English Pickles, Chow Chow, Catsup, in pint and quart bottles. Maccaroni, Corn Starch, Gelatine, &c., &c. Goods delivered to all parts of the city free DAVY & HARMON. dec 12

NIEW STORE.

Just opened at the corner of King and St. Asaph streets, and would call the attention of housekeepers especially to our supply of PRO-VISIONS, Hams, Bacon, Lard, Fresh Meats, Poultry and Produce generally.

Also a large lot of CANNED FRUITS of every description in store, just received.

Those wishing a bargain in our line will do well to call on us, as we are prepared to sell

Goods delivered free of charge to any part of GHEEN & BIRCH, the city. 148 King street. nov 19-tf

## GREEN'S NOTION HOUSE. HOLIDAY GOODS.

To dispatch business, I have engaged a large additional force of CLERKS, so that all who shall favor me with a call will be promptly and expeditiously waited upon. The liberal patronage of the past week has been very gratifying, and every one shall be convinced that small profits tend greatly towards building up a large business. My advice to purchasers is to buy your HOLIDAY GOODS without delay.

CHAS. W. GREEN, 76 King street.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP. The firm hitherto existing under the name of A. H. NOTT & CO. was, by mutual consent, dissolved on the first day of May, 1870. A. H. NOTT having purchased the entire in-terest, will continue the business at the old

stand, No. 69 King street, Alexandria, Va.
A. H. NOTT.
BERTRAND S. ASHBY. Having disposed of my entire interest in the late firm of A. H. Nott & Co., I solicit my friends to extend to him their patronage. BERTRAND S. ASHBY.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS.

Toilet Sets, Bohemian Vases, Parian Figures, China Ornaments, &c. Large stock of the above goods just received. Prices as cheap as the cheapest. Great variety and beautiful patterns. Would call especial attention to my stock of Toilet Sets, which is both large and cheap, and is just the thing for a handsome Holiday present. Call and examine; no trouble to show goods. C. C. BERKY, 72 King st.

ESTRAY-Taken up on the first day of De-cember, on the place of the subscriber, on the old Leesburg road, about one and a half miles from Alexandria, a two year old HEIF-ER, red with line back, white on the face as low as the eyes, white on the belly, white on the two hind legs, a tip off both ears and a notch out of the lower part of both ears. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take her away. dec 15-31\* FRANCIS M. MILLS.

CORPORATION LICENSES.

I am instructed to give notice that all persons who are required to take out a license will be dealt with according to law unless they pay the tax prior to the 25th instant. The funds are now required by the Corporation and must be paid.

R. S. ASHBY, dec 15-2w Auditor.

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FINE VIOLINS. ACCORDEONS, Banjos, Bows, Flutes, Mouth Organs, &c., &c., and the largest assortment of VIOLIN STRINGS, from 5c to the very best, at V. BECKER'S,

COAL! COAL! COAL!

Now landing and have on wharf a full stock of COAL, which I will be pleased to sell at market rates. Orders left at No. 97 King street, with Wise & Co., or with me, will be promptly attended to.
dec 10-1w W. A. SMOOT, Smoot's wharf.

149 King st., Alexandria.

CLOAKSI CLOAKS!

A few choice styles of BEAVER, DOE-SKIN, IMATATION ASTRACAN CLOAKS at very low figures, received this morning.
dec 13 WITMER, & SLAYMAKER.

NEWHOUSE STEEL TRAPS; genuine article; all sizes, at JAMES F. CARLIN & SONS', 68 King street. FAIRBANK'S SCALES-Counter, Plat-

form, Lever, &c.—at
JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS', 68 King street. dec 8 A NOTHERSUPPLY OF THOSE STRIPED SHAWLS.

dec 12 WITMER & SLAYMAKER. BUCKWHEAT FLOUR for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

THE JAMIESON STEAM BAKERY, ALEXANDRIA, VA.



We are fully prepared to supply the largest orders for PLAIN or FANCY CRACKERS and CAKE; during the holiday season, at short notice. Send for our descriptive and price list.

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TOHN LEATHERLAND, WOOD AND COAL DEALER, No. 26 King street, and Corner Queen and Water streets best descriptions of COAL always on hand and at the lowest prices.

Orders solicited and promptly filled. dec 18 J. P. AGNEW, Agent for the Sale and Shipment of least quality GEORGE'S CREEK, CUMBERLAND ANTERACITE COAL,

Either by the cargo, car load or retail.

Coal Docks, Alexandria, Va, and George own, D. C. oct 18-tf town, D. C. COAL! COAL

Constantly on hand a supply of superior quality White and Red Ash Coal, which will be sold at market rates, 2240 lbs. to the ton.

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Wanted in exchange for Furniture, Walnut Wanted, in exchange for Furniture, Walnut, Poplar, Oak, Maple, Birch and Cedar Logs.

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Special attention paid to the sale and ex-change of farms in Virginia and Maryland, and of houses and lots in the city of Alexandria.

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FOR SALE-The eligibly situated three story BRICK HOUSE, 106 Duke street, between Pitt and St. Asaph, containing ten rooms and bath room, with hot and cold water. The house is furnished throughout with gas and fixtures and is a most desirable residence, being located in a pleasant neighborhood. The adjoining lot is offered with the above mentioned property, or it will be sold separate if desired. For terms apply at No. 40 south St. Asaph street.

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FIRE AND MARINE RISKS placed in responsible companies, at rair rates, by ap 7-tf HOOE. WEDDERBURN & CO.

BECKER'S NEW PIANO & MUSIC STORE, 149 King street, [Near St. Asaph street,] Alexandria, Virginia. WM. KNABE & CO'S. GOLD MEDAL PIANOS.

WM. HEINEKAMP'S first-class BALTI-MORE PIANOS. Every instrument warrant-ed for five years. Sold at factory prices on ac-

commodating terms usual in other cities. PARLOR ORGANS from the best makers. I will also furnish PIANOS from any maker in the country, for which persons may have a preference, at factory prices. I hope thereby to leave no cause for those who have at heart the interest of Alexandria to buy away from

I have also PIANOS from first-class makers. that have been out on rent, for sale at very reduced prices. Every instrument warranted .-Also the following: Violins, Guitars, Flutes, Flutinas, Accordeons, Concertinas, Violincellos, Banjos, Violin Bows, Bridges, Pins, Rosin, Mouth Organs,

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MACHINES, at prices ranging from \$30 to Since we introduced the plan of selling by monthly instalments, our sales have increased very much, and it has given mutual satisfaction. No more acceptable present can be made to a lady than a reliable Sewing Machine. We have also on hand all the necessary attach-ments, such as Goodrich's Tuck-maker, Cord-

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HOLIDAY GOODS AT C. W. GREEN'S, 76 King street.
Writing Desks, Work Boxes, Cigar Stands, Fancy Ink Stands, and a thousand other useful and ornamental articles, all of which will be sold at astonishingly low prices. No trouble to exhibit stock,

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Particular attention given to the sale of all kinds of Country Produce, and filling orders for Guano, Farming Implements, Seeds, Groceries, Plaster, Fish, Salt, Lime, &c., at lowest market rates. aug 31-tf

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Doalers in Butter, Lard, Salt, Fish. Flour, Bacon, Coffee, Tea, Sugar, &c. Country Produce
taken in exchange for Marchandise, or sold on
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Fine Teas, Coffees, Sugars, Pickles, American
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GROCERIES, WINES & LIQUORS, which ne will sell cheap for cash. MOSTI COSTI COSTI

Having determined to close out my stock of HOSIERY, GLOVES, HANDKERCHIEFS, &c., I shall offer them all at cost after to-day. Ladies' Hosiery from 121 to 25c; best iron frame 30 to 35c. Berlin and Lisle Thread Gloves from 121 to

WATER PROOF CLOTH-Another sup-25 cents. Handkerchiefs of every description at prime ply just in-This is the third supply of these goods this season. We take pleasure in Germantown Wools at 14c per oz.; Zephyrs at 18c-until the stock is closed out.

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Collars and Handker hiefs from \$1 25 to \$10 each.

CHAS. W. GREEN, dec 15

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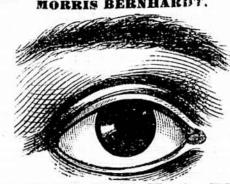
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Pastor of the M. E. Church.

Alexandria, Va., Sept. 19, 1870.

[From Ex-Governor Shorter, of Alabama.] Dr. M. Bernhardt, Oculist and Optician: My Dear Sir: I beg to express to you the deep sense of obligation I feel for the professional kindness extended to me, by which, with eye sight impaired by years of application and study, I am enabled to write this note with the clearness of vision which I enjoyed in the days of my youth. May your honorable and useful life long be spared, that humanity may enjoy the scientific skill of one so eminently qualified in mind and heart to do good to his fellowmen. With grateful acknowledgments, permit me to

State of South Carolina, Executive Dept.. Columbia, June 19, 1867. Sir: I have made full and satisfactory test of the Spectacles procured from you, and I have the pleasure to say that the glasses are better adapted to my eyes than any I have ever used. The facilities with which you fitted the glass to my eye furnished me conclusive evidence of your thorough experience as an Oculist. Your attainments in your prefession entitle

you to the confidence, patronage and gratitude of the public. I have the honor to be very respectfully yours, JAMES L. ORR, yours. Governor of South Carolina.

Portsmouth, Va., Dec. 1, 1865. Prof. Bernhardt:—I owe you a debt of gratitude for the benefit you have rendered me. For many years I have been accustomed to use glasses when reading or writing, and always with pain, more or less, to my eyes. You have relieved me from all inconvenience. I can now read and write for all hours without any pain, and can see objects distant and near through the same glasses with clearness and distinctness that I have not experienced since my youth.

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Terms: One third of the purchase money in

cash; the residue in two equal payments at nine and eighteen months; the deferred payments to bear interest, and to be secured by the purchaser's bonds, with good surety, and a re tention of the title to the property sold until the purchase money shall have been paid.— Deed and stamps at cost of the purchaser. D. L. SMOOT, Comm'r. of Sale. Fairfax county, dec 13--ts

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VALUA-BLE REAL ESTATE NEAR ALEX-ANDRIA, VA.—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, pronounced at its November term, 1870, in the chancery suit of Crump and wife vs. Taylor et al., the undersigned, commissioners appointed by the said decree, will offer for sale, by public auction, at Catt's taylor in West End, in Fairfax county, Catt's tavern. in West End, in Fairlax county, Va., on SATURDAY, the 21st day of January, 1871, at 12 o'clo k m., the TRACT OF LANI) of which John H. Taylor died seized and possessed, containing TWENTY ACRES, more or less, well improved with DWELLING HOUSE, fences, &c., binding on the Little River Turnpike, and about one mile from Alexandria. This place would make a fine garden farm.

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ty Court of Alexandria county, pronounced at its June term 1869, in the chancery suit of John Howell vs. William H. Shirley, the undersign. ed. Commissioner appointed by the said decree, will offer for sale, by public auction, at Alexandria city in front of the Mayor's office, on SATURDAY, the 14th day of January 1871, at 12 o'clock m., the undivided one twelfth interest of the said William H. Shirley in the HOUSE and LOT OF GROUND on the east side of Washington street between King and Prince streets, in the city of Alexan-

dris, numbered 14. TERMS-One third of the purchased money in cash; the residue in two equal payments at six and twelve months; the deterred payments to be securred by the purchaser's bonds, with good surety, and a retention of the title to the property sold until the purchase money shall have been paid. Stamps and deed to be paid D. L. SMOOT, for by purchasor. Commissioner.

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